India Alliance Margdarshi Fellowships

Purpose
For visionary scientists to nucleate and lead a world-class and cutting-edge research programme in India to –
• Replicate global standards of scientific excellence
• Minimize disparities, in scientific and administrative capacity, among research institutes and universities across India.

Provisions
The 5 year Fellowship provides –
• Generous personal support for the Fellow
• Salary support for personnel, which may include Assistant Professors
• Large quantum of funds for equipment, animals and consumables
• Funds to attend scientific gatherings, for collaborative visits and to organize meetings.
• Overheads for the Host Institution

Eligibility
Interested applicants must –
• Have around 10 years of experience as independent investigator, and can be of any age or nationality
• Relocate from their current organisation (in India or overseas) to an administratively distinct not-for-profit Host Institution in India, and
• Have a Sponsor at the Host Institution, who is willing to extend the desired commitment and resources for program implementation.

Process
Application process can be found at -

Deadline
Sponsored applications due – 14 May 2012.

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